

Negative and Positive Outcomes from the Economic Depression in Hill County

In the column beside each event or aspect of everyday life described, draw a ▼ or ▲ to indicate if it represents a negative or positive outcome or effect on the way of life in Hill County.

	Negative (▼) or Positive (▲) Outcome on Way of Live
1. Robbery and murder of the Bucher Family	
2. Air conditioning installed in the Andrews Café	
3. Grimes Garage advertising campaign	
4. Effect on shopping trips to Dallas and Waco on the Interurban Electric Railway	
5. John and Madora Bucher moved their jewelry store from downtown Hillsboro to their residence on the edge of town.	
6. Hubbard resident Tris Speaker was elected to the Baseball Hall of Fame.	
7. Cotton was in demand around the world.	
8. The first dishwasher in Hill County was at the Andrews Café.	
9. Bonnie Parker joined the Clyde Barrow Gang.	
10. Senior and unemployed male residents gathered outside pharmacies in Whitney and Hillsboro for “sitting, spitting and whittling” as they discussed the news and troubles of the day.	
11. Raymond Hamilton (of the Clyde Barrow Gang) and two other inmates break out of the Hill County Jail.	
12. The schedule of the building of Whitney Dam	
13. The Andrews Café was open 24-hours a day.	
14. Agriculture’s effect on the use of the railroad system.	
15. Unemployment and poverty turned to acts of desperation, including robbery and murder.	